and LPG distributorships found indulging in malpractices in the country during 1995, are given in the Statement attached.

(b) One retail outlet dealership in Gujarat and three LPG distributorships (one each in Gujarat, Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh) were terminated during the said period.

Actions such as suspension of sales, issue of warning letters suspension of selling licences by the district authorities, imposition of penalties, etc. were taken against the other defaulting dealers/distributors.

**STATEMENT**

*State-wise Details of Petrol/Diesel Retail Outlets and LPG Distributors found indulging in Malpractices in the country*

| State/Ut. | Number of Retail Outlets found indulging in Malpractices | Number of LPG Distributorships Indulging in Malpractices |
|---|---|---|
| Andhra Pradesh | 15 | 38 |
| Assam | 1 | 3 |
| Bihar | 10 | 22 |
| Goa | 1 | 1 |
| Gujarat | 71 | 33 |
| Haryana | 25 | 17 |
| Himachal Pradesh | 1 | 1 |
| Jammu & Kashmir | — | 2 |
| Karnataka | 14 | 14 |
| Kerala | 4 | 11 |
| Madhya Pradesh | 19 | 30 |
| Maharashtra | 35 | 41 |
| Orissa | 9 | 5 |
| Punjab | 48 | 19 |
| Rajasthan | 66 | 19 |
| Sikkim | — | 1 |
| Tamil Nadu | 12 | 8 |
| Tripura | — | 1 |
| Uttar Pradesh | 80 | 105 |
| West Bengal | 14 | 15 |
| Chandigarh | — | 6 |
| Delhi | 31 | 31 |

**Freedom to Vigilance Departments of Government Undertakings**

5185. SHRIMATI MEIRA KUMAR : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Vigilance Departments of the Companies, Corporations and other Government Undertakings are under the administrative control of their respective Managing Directors; and

(b) whether they are required to investigate cases of corrupt practices of their superior officers and to report to the ministries concerned and the Central Vigilance Commission ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI S.R. BALASUBRAMONIYAN) : (a) Yes, Madam.

The Chief Vigilance Officers in the Public Sector Undertakings, generally report to the Head of the Organisation.

(b) The Primary responsibility for the maintenance of purity, integrity and efficiency in his Organisation vests in the Secretary of the Ministry of the Head of the Department/Organisation. The Chief Vigilance Officers in these Organisations act as the special assistant to the Head of the Organisation in all matters pertaining to vigilance and provide a link between their Ministries/ Departments/Organisations and the Central Vigilance Commission.

*[Translation]*

**Drinking Water Supply**

5186. SHRI JAI PRAKASH AGARWAL : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the steps being taken to improve the drinking water supply in several areas of the National Capital Territory of Delhi;

(b) whether financial assistance from the World Bank and other foreign institutions/organizations is also being extended to the Government of Delhi for this purpose; and

(c) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. U. VENKATESWARLU) : (a) The following steps have been taken by the Delhi Water Supply & Sewage Disposal Undertaking to improve the drinking water supply to the residents of Delhi :—

SHORT TERM MEASURES :

(i) A 40 MGD water treatment plant at Nangloi is under construction. The work is likely to be completed shortly.

(ii) Tenders have been reinvited for the construction of 20 MGD water treatment plant at Bawana.

(iii) Two Ranney wells have been commissioned to augment water supply and the 3rd one is under flushing and trial run.

LONG TERM MEASURES:

An agreement has been signed between the Chief Ministers of the five riparian States, including Delhi, on 12.5.94 to share water from the river Yamuna. According to this agreement, Delhi will get 0.724 BCM (Consumptive) or 2000 cusecs of raw water on completion of Renuka, Lakhawar Vyasi and Kishau Dams on the river Yamuna.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

*[English]*

**Talcher Thermal Power Project**

5187. SHRI DEVI BUX SINGH: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government have decided to take over the Talcher Thermal Power Station; and

(b) if so, the time by which the final decision is likely to be taken by the Government in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (DR. S. VENUGOPALACHARI) : (a) and (b) National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) has already acquired Talcher Thermal Power Station with a capacity of 460 MW from the Government of Orissa with effect from 3rd June, 1995.

**Metalization of Roads**

5188. DR. ARUN KUMAR SARMA :
SHRI ILIYAS AZMI :
SHRI RAJESH RANJAN *Alias* PAPPU YADAV :

Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state :

(a) the State-wise and year-wise allocation made for roads during the last three years;

(b) the number of villages in Uttar Pradesh have been connected with roads so far; and

(c) the number of villages are yet to be connected by roads in Uttar Pradesh ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI CHANDRADEO PRASAD VARMA) :

(a) Statement showing Plan outlay on roads and bridges (State Sector) is attached.

(b) and (c) The information is furnished in a Statement II attached.

**STATEMENT–I**

*Outlay on Roads & Bridges (State Sector)*

(Rs. Lakhs)

| | | *1993-94 Outlay* | *1994-95 Outlay* | *1995-96 Outlay* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| **States** | | | | |
| 1. | Andhra Pradesh | 10424 | 8546 | 9096 |
| 2. | Arunachal Pradesh | 7757 | 0254 | 9431 |
| 3. | Assam | 5200 | 6200 | 10103 |
| 4. | Bihar | 24481 | 24481 | 17728 |
| 5. | Goa | 1460 | 1500 | 1750 |
| 6. | Gujarat | 7000 | 8417 | 10117 |
| 7. | Haryana | 2112 | 2258 | 2500 |
| 8. | Himachal Pradesh | 5400 | 6485 | 7065 |
| 9. | Jammu & Kashmir | 5740 | 6518 | 6581 |
| 10. | Karnataka | 5750 | 15050 | 12384 |
| 11. | Kerala | 5720 | 7000 | 9450 |
| 12. | Madhya Pradesh | 7300 | 7300 | 6276 |
| 13. | Maharashtra | 15292 | 22795 | 42655 |
| 14. | Manipur | 2855 | 2712 | 4125 |
| 15. | Meghalaya | 5260 | 5300 | 6800 |
| 16. | Mizoram | 2175 | 2175 | 2200 |
| 17. | Nagaland | 2260 | 2410 | 2710 |
| 18. | Orissa | 14380 | 18945 | 15183 |
| 19. | Punjab | 2500 | 2683 | 4710 |
| 20. | Rajasthan | 8100 | 13700 | 22000 |
| 21. | Sikkim | 1600 | 1440 | 1656 |
| 22. | Tamil Nadu | 11000 | 12327 | 15620 |
| 23. | Tripura | 1950 | 2034 | 2925 |
| 24. | Uttar Pradesh | 37141 | 39900 | 43800 |
| 25. | West Bengal | 3042 | 5928 | 11520 |
| Total (States) | | 200699 | 234358 | 278487 |